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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION AND SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 11, 2008, Applicant hereby elects Group I, claims 1-18, drawn to methods for catabolism of extracellular amyloid precursor protein.

For the species election requirements set forth on pages 3 and 4 of the restriction requirement, Applicant elects for Group I agents antibodies or fragments thereof that bind to VLDL-R, and for Group II agents antibodies or fragments thereof that bind to APP.

The claims of elected Group I that correspond to the elected species are 1-3, 5, 6, 9-12, 14, 15 and 18.

Having made the election, Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one or more continuing applications on the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Dated: June 11, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

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